

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE AMENDMENT

Bill No. PCS for CS/CS/HB 545 (2017)

Amendment No.

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED                                         (Y/N)  
ADOPTED AS AMENDED                         (Y/N)  
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION                     (Y/N)  
FAILED TO ADOPT                             (Y/N)  
WITHDRAWN                                     (Y/N)  
OTHER                                                

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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Government Accountability  
2 Committee

3 Representative Santiago offered the following:

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5 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

6 Between lines 445 and 446, insert:

7 Section 8. Section 316.87, Florida Statutes, is amended to  
8 read:

9 316.87 Nonemergency medical transportation services.—To  
10 ensure the availability of nonemergency medical transportation  
11 services throughout the state, a provider licensed by the county  
12 or operating under a permit issued by the county may not be  
13 required to use a vehicle that is larger than needed to  
14 transport the number of persons being transported or that is  
15 inconsistent with the medical condition of the individuals  
16 receiving the nonemergency medical transportation services. A

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17 | licensed basic or advanced life support ambulance service may  
18 | provide nonemergency medical transportation in permitted  
19 | ambulances in any county notwithstanding any ordinances relating  
20 | to certificates of public convenience and necessity or s.  
21 | 401.25. This section does not apply to the procurement,  
22 | contracting, or provision of paratransit transportation  
23 | services, directly or indirectly, by a county or an authority,  
24 | pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, as  
25 | amended.

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Remove line 43 and insert:

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child restraint device requirements are met; amending s. 316.87,

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F.S.; authorizing a basic or advance life support ambulance to

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provide nonemergency medical transportation services under

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certain circumstances; amending